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RAO Newsletter #2012-10 - September 6, 2012 - Tricare Pharmacy Benefits

TRICARE PHARMACY BENEFITS – Currently, TRICARE beneficiaries are served by military pharmacies, home delivery and a robust national retail network or over 56,000 pharmacies. Walgreen which left the network as of 31 December 2011 over a pricing dispute has now agreed to a new contract with Express Scripts effective 19 July 2012 to become effective 15 September 2012.

However, it is not yet known how it will impact TRICARE as specific details have not been released. Many beneficiaries have found the convenient Home Delivery to be a better option than the more expensive retail and have switched. Express Scripts will assist in transferring your current prescriptions to Home Delivery.

To learn more about converting your prescriptions, call 1-877-363-1303, or go to www.express-scripts.com/TRICARE. You can also enroll via telephone.